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### LOCAL NEWS.

C. B. Wilson motored down from Patagonia yesterday.

The registration books will be closed October 15th. Don't forget the date.

John Deegan has been appointed a special live stock inspector, with headquarters in Nogales.

Ed. Borton, brother of Mrs. Ignacio Bonillas, was here a couple of days this week, from Tucson.

Santa Cruz county candidates for office are mighty busy these days, shaking hands with their friends, and others.

The new building being erected by the Nogales Lumber Company on Court street is rapidly nearing completion.

Dave Schetter, land cattle dealer, is down in Sonora looking at a big tract of land which he expects to sell to California buyers.

Today the annual meeting of stockholders of the Richfield Copper Company will be held in the First National Bank counting rooms.

J. S. Gatlin, Sr., Democratic candidate for supervisor, has been spending a few days at the county seat, from his ranch home near Harshaw.

There was an interesting meeting of Santa Cruz county Democrats last evening at the Club rooms up stairs, over the American Drug Store.

Joe Dupuy, proprietor of The Palace, has returned from Los Angeles, where he had been to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Norman Tener.

Kenneth Kennedy, Democratic candidate for the office of Clerk of the Superior Court of Santa Cruz county, has been a busy visitor in Nogales since Thursday.

Captain Charles Hardy, U. S. Collector of customs, is one of the best political speakers in Arizona. The captain does not split hairs. With him a spade's a spade.

The case of Julio Carranza, arrested some time ago on a charge of stealing an automobile from the governor of Sonora, has been set for Monday, October 19th.

George Januel, the popular German barber, is busy moving his Stag Barber Shop from the Brickwood building to handsome quarters in the Montezuma hotel building.

Major Loreto Carrillo has gone down into the Altar District to look after his placer gold interests. His associates recently brought out a big lot of placer gold.

George Januel, the expert German barber, on Morley Ave., in Brickwood building, guarantees his work, and respectfully invites you to give him a trial. Everything neat and clean. Hair Cutting a specialty.

Fred. Williams, the San Xavier mining man, is indeed a happy man these days. It's a girl, but all the same Fred's happy; so's his good wife, who, by-the-way, is getting along nicely. Congratulations.

The Americans caught last night in the act of destroying a bridge out on the Nogales-Canea branch of the Southern Pacific of Mexico, deserve mighty little sympathy, and should be made to pay the full penalty.

W. E. Barnes, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Southern Pacific, with headquarters in Tucson, spent a couple of days in Nogales this week. Mr. Barnes is one of the best all-round boosters in the state.

William Bowers, owner of one of the best ranches in Santa Cruz county, spent several days in Nogales this week looking after his political fences. The only thing any white man can have against Bill is that he's a Republican.

The business men of Nogales have in contemplation the closing of their stores at six o'clock in the evening, and at the next meeting of the Common Council, a numerous signed petition will be presented asking the council to pass an ordinance to that effect.

Major R. W. Rose, 12th Infantry, U. S. A., has returned from California, where he had been for the past two months. The Major's many friends will be pleased to learn that he has been greatly benefitted by his trip to the coast, and is again enjoying excellent health.

John Higginbotham, the Laird of Carbo, is a guest at the Montezuma, having arrived last evening from the south.

Back again on his way to Mexico City after nearly a year's exile from the land of mañana, Basil Dillon Wood, for three years correspondent for Reuter's new agency and the New York Globe Associated Newspapers Syndicate with the insurrecto armies of Mexico, passed through Nogales Friday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Common Council last Monday evening, was attended by Mayor Mix, Councilmen Bowman, Escalada, Neumann and Fiedler. Absent, Members Tomlin and Holler. Much important business was transacted and the honorable body was in session until nearly mid-night.

Vic Condon, representative for the Standard Oil Company, after successfully transacting important business in Nogales, has returned to Tucson where he makes his headquarters. While here Mr. Condon purchased the Lee Reagan property just north of the Karns Place, and in the near future his company will erect a large building in which to store supplies.

The Nogales Steam Laundry, recently organized by L. M. Raines and C. E. Wood of Nogales, will fill a long-felt want, and no doubt will do a splendid business from the kick-off. Nogales is badly in need of an up-to-date laundry such as Messrs. Raines and Wood propose to give the city. Many business men and families have already promised to give the new Laundry their moral and financial support, and the future of the Nogales Steam Laundry is assured.

The day congress adjourns, United States Senator Marcus A. Smith, and Representative Carl Hayden are planning to leave for Arizona to engage in their respective campaigns for re-election. Both will visit the principal cities and towns of the state. They are arranging a tentative itinerary. Senator Ashurst will leave a few days later for Arizona to make a speaking tour of the state on behalf of Governor Hunt and the Democratic ticket. He will also urge the re-election of his colleagues.

"The Old Soldier" group of mines owned by the John T. Brickwood estate, is looking up in fine shape, and Mr. Albert Brickwood, nephew of the late John T. Brickwood, says that it is only a matter of a very short time when "The Old Soldier" camp will be employing a large number of men and high-grade ore will be brought to Nogales and shipped to the custom smelter. This week the mines have been visited by Joe Obermiller and T. P. Brinegar, two well known mining experts, who report the property looking well.

Parishioners of the Church of the Sacred Heart and friends of the Rev. Louis Duval, irrespective of religious ties, gathered at the parish house, Thursday evening to bid farewell to the departing priest, who left for Tucson, to take up new duties. The gathering was wholly an informal one and was a spontaneous acknowledgement of the esteem in which the people of Nogales and the Catholics in particular hold the Rev. Duval. Father Duval goes to Tucson to relieve the Rev. Van Goethan, who will take charge of the parish of the church of the Sacred Heart here, and his many friends wish him continued success in his chosen work during the coming years.

A Rare Curiosity of Ancient time uncovered.

At the INTERNATIONAL DRUG STORE there is being shown the jawbone and several large well defined teeth of the pre-historic MAMMOTH MASTADON (petrified) its total weight is 22 and is only a part of the upper jaw of one side fronting to the end where the large tusk protrudes.

Mr. Barnes, the travelling passenger agent of the S. P. R. R. who is quite an authority on such things, considers it one of the greatest finds in years.

It was brought to Nogales by Mr. Louis Bloch of Mexico who unearthed it in the Sierra Madre mountains in Chihuahua while placing for gold in a deep gravel wash, or mountain slide. Mr. Hector the manager of the International Drug Store will have photographs taken and open up correspondence with the Smithsonian Institute at Washington as to placing it on permanent exhibition.

### MAYTORENA CLAIMS HE'S RIGHT

Sonora's Governor Fighting for the State of Sonora.

Naco, Ariz., Oct. 6.—Governor Maytorena, when interviewed at his camp before Naco, said that he had no advice as to whether or not Carranza had landed an army at Guaymas or whether Carranza forces were approaching from Sinaloa. He said it was not true that he had sent 500 men of his army south to Hermosillo to repel the advance, as it was not necessary. He said that general Juan Antonio Garcia, one of the best fighters in Sonora, was at the boundary between Sonora and Sinaloa, prepared to come into Sonora at a minute's notice with 3,500 men. "As to General Hill," he said, "we have been playing with him so far as our attack up to the present time is concerned. When we really start to come, he will certainly know it. Evidently, he and his men picked a boundary city as a place to make a stand because of its convenience to the line. Why didn't he meet us there on the mountain or any other place in the open? I regret very much being compelled to fight under these conditions, but I have given my men the strictest orders to keep all their fire on this side of the line.

"I appreciate the fair intentions of the United States government to preserve strict neutrality. I sincerely hope there will be no casualties on the other side of the line and international complications. As for me, I am perfectly willing to abide by the decision of the secretary of state that our wounded shall not be taken across the line. With such permission withdrawn, perhaps the Carranza army will not be so anxious next time to get alongside the international line to do its fighting.

"I regret this war very much. I am not a fighting man. I have been driven to the field to protect the state and drive out those who seek to ruin the state. I would rather be using my energies to improving the material welfare of the state. Carranza I cannot stand for. He has violated the promises he made at Torreón, and he has been trying to set up a military government with himself at the head. That is what Mexico has been trying to get away from. Carranza has poor advisors. I do not like the men about him.

"I think I did much to make Carranza when I loaned him troops and money to carry on his campaign. He repays me by offering me a position in his cabinet where I would be helpless to do anything for my state. His friends in Sonora have driven out the duly elected prefects, presidents and other officials and have sought to substitute military authorities and men who have sought to steal from the state. That is what I objected to. There were not twenty votes against me when I was elected, and yet he seeks to remove me. I won't stand for it. My friends won't stand for it, and that's why we're out here fighting."

### Nogales Lawyer Makes Fine Record.

James D. Barry of the local law firm of Barry and Barry returned Thursday from Phoenix. Mr. Barry went to Phoenix to take the examinations for admittance to the Arizona bar, and in his examinations established a record which, it is supposed will long go unequalled. Mr. Barry received the highest marks ever received by any applicant for admission to the bar in the state of Arizona, which is indeed a signal honor. This is not Mr. Barry's first escapade in that line, however. At the close of collegiate training in Notre Dame he was awarded a gold medal for the first prize in scholarship. Later, when graduated from the law department of Georgetown University, he was again the recipient of highest honors in his class. Mr. Barry is a member of the California bar, and also of the Washington, D. C., bar and came to Nogales a few months ago to join in partnership with his brother, F. J. Barry.—Citizen.

C. W. Tonkin, general superintendent of La Cobia Mining Company, stopped over in Nogales a couple of days this week on his way from Phoenix to La Cobia, Sonora, where he has gone to arrange for the resumption of active operations of the company's copper mines and smelter. Manager Mitchell who has been in Phoenix attending to company's business, was also here last Monday.

### ON THE WAY UP.

We're off! In the language of the race track judge, "We're off"—when Standard Oil comes to town. When the Standard Oil Company decides to locate one of their white-painted high-fenced plants in Nogales you can safely assure yourself that the future of Nogales is indeed bright.

Another real estate man has come to town. It won't be long until we will have to build office buildings to accommodate the flock of real estate men. Another sign that we are coming to the front.

Our week's wash will not have to travel to Tucson much longer. An up-to-date Steam Laundry will shortly be in operation.

This winter is to see great activity in home building in Nogales. More houses are badly needed for the permanent increase in our population not to mention the needs of our visitors from Mexico. With the building of the residences concerning which we have advice, considerable relief will be obtained.

The Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce will hold the regular monthly meeting next Monday October 12th, at the Town Hall. Everyone is welcome to these meetings. Sometime during the middle of the month a get-together meeting is planned.

The Chamber of Commerce is making strenuous efforts to have Santa Cruz county properly represented at the Arizona State Fair at Phoenix, Nov. 9th to 14th. The Fair promises to be bigger and better than ever. An appeal is made to every mining man and rancher in the county to co-operate with the Chamber of Commerce in their efforts to show up the resources of our county to the best advantage. Everyone should take pride in making our State Fair a big success.

### TO MINING MEN:

In order to help mining in Santa Cruz county, the Nogales Chamber of Commerce, which will be one place the investor will be likely to inquire, is desirous of getting filed with them a list of all the prospects and mines that are open for lease or bond or sale. It would also like to have some statistics on the past production of the mines now in operation or which have been producers. This data will be kept on file and parts published from time to time in circulars sent out or in special editions of the different newspapers. Get a description of your property listed with us and when a prospective investor calls at our office looking for gold properties, he will be shown the file of gold properties, so with copper and other properties. Any suggestions from mining men along this line will be appreciated. We believe the service will be valuable to the mining industry and we await your co-operation in carrying it out.

We call your attention to the Arizona State Fair at Phoenix, Nov. 9-14 and particularly the mineral exhibit. They are trying to get exhibits from all the important mines throughout the state, both for this fair and for the Worlds Fair at San Francisco.

The Nogales Chamber of Commerce will be the collecting point for such exhibits for Santa Cruz county, and those interested are requested to send their exhibits to Nogales. They want large specimens that will make a showing. Several pieces of ore weighing from 30 to 100 pounds are most desirable. Labels should contain:

(1) Name of the Mine. (2) District. (3) Owner. (4) Character and (5) values etc. These samples should reach Nogales not later than Oct. 25th and should be sent at once. When all the samples are in, they will be sent in one lot to Phoenix by the Chamber of Commerce. We would also like to have any particularly fine ore specimens to be loaned for the exhibit. We will guarantee safe return of same, if you advise us you wish the specimen returned. You will oblige us by letting us know whether or not to expect samples in order that we do not have to hold up the others longer than necessary.

Another thing the Chamber of Commerce wishes, to call your attention to is the meeting of the American Mining Congress at Phoenix, Dec. 1 to 11th. We will be glad to furnish credentials to mining men to this meeting.

J. B. BRISTOL